

U. H. the said letter that (vizt) to be sent from howse to howse And
Journal then Subscribe his name this Acte to endure for three yeares
1659-69 or to the end of the next Generall Assembly

The lower howse haue Assented The vpper howse haue
Assented
Will: Bretton Clk. John Gittings Clre:

p. 107 An Explanacōn of that Clause in an Acte
made by Captaine William Stone the
29th of Aprill 1650 concerning the
Secretaryes and Sherriffes fees

Whereas there hath been diuers disputes rayseed concerning
the fees due to the Secretary for Searcheing the Records Both
howses doe make this Interpretacōn of itt (viz^t) To haue foure
pounds of tobacco p ann onely notwithstanding Searches made
in severall Bookes (viz^t) without any Addicōn of the former
yeares to be annexed to the Search of the last Search found

An Acte for the Repeale of the
Acte for Customes

This Assembly Considering the Clashing Betweene the Lawe
made at the Assembly held the second day of January 1646 at
S^t Innagoes Forte wherein in Consideracōn of the Custome in
that Acte granted to his Lo^p the Right honorable the lord Pro-
prietary he doth vndertake the whole charge of the Govern-
ment both in warre and in peace and that other Acte confirmed
by his Lo^{ps} declaracōn beareing date the six^t day of August
1650 Entituled an acte concerning [the] leavying of warre
within this Province in the last Clause [of] which Acte the
whole charge of any warre ariseing within this Province is to
be leauyed vpon the Province by an equall Assessment vpon
the persons and Estates of the Inhabitants thereof any thing
in that Acte or any other acte to the Contrary thereof notwith-
standing And further takeing into serious Consideracōn the
Burthen of that Acte and the vast charge that hath been drawne
vpon the Province by the late trecherous Revolte of Josias
p. 108 Fendall and his Complises And the Greate Expense they must
be at to defend the Province against the Incursions of the Jane-
doe Indians that of late haue murdered some of the Inhabitants
thereof the which Charge by Acte of this p^rsent Assembly they
have vndertaken Doe pray that by the authority of the Lord Pro-
prietary with the Assent of the vpper and lower howse of this
Generall Assembly the said Acte made at an Assembly held
the second day of January 1646 at S^t Innagos Forte and en-